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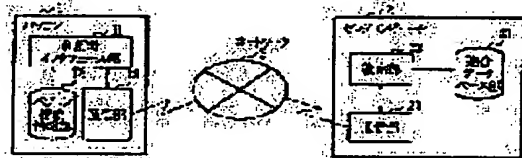
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(54) OPTION PARTS MATCHING RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide an option parts matching retrieval system with which even a general user having a little special knowledge can retrieve whether the desired option parts can be utilized for a personal computer used by that user himself or not from his own terminal.

SOLUTION: Personal computer configuration information such as the model name, bus slot information and memory information of a personal computer 1 is registered. Then, when the user commands retrieval, the model name possessed from this configuration information and the option parts inputted by the user are sent to a center computer 2. Further, when there are plural kinds of matched option parts as a result of matching possibility retrieval due to the center computer 2, the additional information of respective options is compared with the configuration information of the personal computer 1 and analyzed. Thus, one kind of optimum matched options 1 is selected and reported to the user.



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